

JOSEPHUS DANIELS BARS NAVY LEAGUE FROM HIS WAR

Members of Organization Devoted To Upbuilding of Our Sea Forces Are Prohibited By Secretary From Entering Government Property Under His Jurisdiction

Representatives of the Navy League and German spies are barred from all government property under jurisdiction of the navy department. The explosion which wrecked Black Powder magazine in the Mare Island station has also blown ex-Governor George R. Carter out of the Pearl Harbor reservation.

The Mare Island explosion took place several weeks ago and the investigation into the cause was most leisurely, so leisurely, in fact, that a prominent official of the Navy League intimated that fear of the labor vote in California had influenced Secretary Daniels in the matter and had induced him not to investigate too closely.

Daniels got this report into his head and finally digested it; whereupon he arose in his might and lammed the Navy League. Rather than have a personal matter made the cause of injuring a national movement, the Navy League official who had offended Josephus was ordered to resign.

This sacrifice proved most efficient, hence the latest order to Captain Clark and other naval commandants that no representative of the Navy League is to be allowed to set foot in a naval reservation, nor is any man in the navy to accept aid or presents from the Navy League.

Mr. Carter, ex-Governor of Hawaii, retired business man and for years associated with every public movement in Hawaii, a hearty and patriotic American citizen, was refused admission Tuesday to the naval station at Pearl Harbor, solely because he is a member of the Navy League.

The Honorable Josephus, secretary of the navy, having fallen heir to a real war and finding that necessity has mangled his ships and forced through the appropriations he needed from congress, has squabbled with the civilian organization which has for years stood behind the navy, educating the people in the need of sea power, helping man the ships and supporting the navy before congress. The Honorable Josephus, being a cabinet officer and some little mogul, has barred all members of the Navy League from navy yards and naval vessels. He has ordered the navy to refuse all presents or contributions from the Navy League.

"You get out of my war!" says the Honorable Josephus to the Navy League, in effect.

First hit in Hawaii is Governor Carter. He cannot call on the naval commandant to pay his respects as a matter of courtesy. He has called, however, on the army commander. The writ of Josephus only runs part of the way.

Barred By Josephus

"Desiring to pay my respect to the naval authority," said to-carter yesterday, "and having previously called on the representative of the army, yesterday I rang up the commandant at Pearl Harbor and asked when it would be convenient for me to call. The commandant was not in, but his representative assured me that he would be glad to receive me this morning at half past ten o'clock. Last evening I heard a rumor that an order had come from Secretary Daniels to the effect that representatives of the Navy League could not be received or admitted into the naval station.

"Not wishing to make it embarrassing for the commandant, and as I am a deeply interested member of the league, at about nine o'clock this morning I rang up Pearl Harbor naval station and asked for the commandant, reminding him of my engagement and stated that I considered myself a representative of the Navy League and thought he ought to know it before I called.

"He was very gracious in his reply and said, 'This makes it awkward. Of course you know of the order lately received in regard to the Navy League. It is this: we cannot admit any official or representatives of the Navy League, nor can we accept any aid from them such as presents of any kind. Therefore, under the circumstances and as you say you represent the Navy League, I am constrained to decline to receive you. You see, Governor Carter, I am a military man and must obey orders.'

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CASTLE REPLIES TO AGENT MOIR

Food Commission Executive As-
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"If Mr. Moir feels that his time and the government's money are being wasted in the work he is doing, I can only say that there are men on the islands doing the same sort of work who are certainly wasting neither time nor government money," said A. L. Castle, executive officer of the food commission, yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Castle referred to the recent letter from Mr. Moir received by the food commission, in which Moir, in addition to saying that his work as a present carried on was a waste of time and money, stated that it would be done by a grammar school pupil with more enthusiasm and satisfaction. No official action has been taken on the letter, which also suggested the opening of government farms at Kaula, Hawaii.

Others Not Wasting Time

"F. G. Kraus on Maui and A. H. Case on Kauai are wasting neither time nor money in their work," Mr. Castle stated.

"The work of the food commission must go on as it has been doing for some time at least."

"As for the Kaula farming proposition, Albert Horner himself has said that it could not be inaugurated without the expenditure of at least \$200,000 for a road to open up the district. The food commission has no such sum as that to spend. The project will necessarily have to wait until the next meeting of the legislature, and then the request for the appropriation might be made, if the proposal were considered feasible."

Opinion as to the advisability of opening government farms seems divided, but the members of the food commission who have so far expressed their sentiments are unanimous in stating that no action could be undertaken without a large initial appropriation, and unless secured from the federal government such appropriation could not be obtained from the Territory until the next meeting of the legislature, two years off in 1919.

Farming Proposition

Mr. Moir's letter was referred to J. M. Westgate of the U. S. Experiment Station to determine whether or not the suggestion of farming at Kaula could be carried out. Professor Westgate stated in a letter to J. F. Child, assistant executive officer of the food commission, that he could not advise as to the usefulness of the land in question until acquainted with soil, rainfall, aeration, and former instances of agricultural operations in the tract.

The suggestion of subsidization or cooperation with farmers seems feasible to Professor Westgate if the details of the scheme can be worked out to suit local conditions.

The Territorial Food Commission invites expression of opinion from the public as to what is thought of the suggestion that mining lands should be opened up, in Hawaii and throughout the Territory, with the assistance of the commission. Letters may be sent to the food commission direct or through the newspapers.

As the relief committee has already started to fill five thousand bags for the Allied soldiers, it is urged that those interested in contributing money for the American soldiers only send their contributions to Miss Hilda von Holt, treasurer of the Women's League. These contributions will be sent on to Washington, where a woman has already been engaged by the Navy League to buy the clothing and fill the bags so that our contributions will reach the soldiers by Christmas.

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GUARD COMPANY IS TO BE ORGANIZED

New Unit Will Be Formed At Waipahu Sunday Morning—War Strength Expected

The eleventh lettered company of the first regiment of the national guard will be organized at Waipahu Sunday morning, it was announced by Brig. Gen. Samuel I. Johnson, yesterday who stated that the adjutant-general's office of the guard had completed all the arrangements and that Manager Bull of the plantation was cooperating heartily.

A detachment of officers and sergeants will motor to Waipahu Sunday with the necessary clerks and it is expected that a company close to war strength will be secured. Harold Dyson will probably become the captain of the new company, but the lieutenants have not yet been selected.

This will be the fourth plantation company to be included in the first regiment, the others being at Aiea, Ewa and Waiwae and the guard officials expect considerable rivalry between them.

There will remain one more company to organize, but it has not yet been decided where. There have been several offers in different places to organize it, and it will probably be a Honolulu company.

NO STAND IS TAKEN ON PEACE PROPOSAL

Michaelis Blames War On Allies; Germany Only Defends

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

COPENHAGEN, August 23.—In an address before the Reichstag on Tuesday Michaelis took no definite stand in regard to the peace proposals which were advanced by the Pope and said he would not until the "autonomous countries and states should agree."

"The general feeling of our people is that the responsibility for the prolongation of the war rests upon the enemy and not upon us. Germany has only one alternative and that one is self defense."

MOVIE ACTRESS WIFE IS NOT "DEPENDENT"

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

CHICAGO, August 22.—The well-known film star, Bryant Washburn, is among those who were drawn in the first draft for the new armies of the United States.

His plea of having dependents to support was overruled by the exemption board.

His wife, the well-known movie actress, "Mabel Forrest," has postponed entering into a contract with a moving picture concern until her husband's case was decided, it was stated before the board.

REVOLT OF ARABS TO HELP AGAINST TURKS

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

LONDON, August 23.—The revolt of the Arabs in Arabia will work extensively as an aid to success against the Turks. King Hezrag has announced that he will associate with the Allies in the warfare.

Reports from Berlin last night as to conditions in the east said that Mo-nastir was in flames and that two thousand sand shells had been poured in upon it.

SMOKING ON STREET IS STOPPED IN BERLIN

(Associated Press by U. S. Naval Communication Service)

AMSTERDAM, August 22.—An order has just been issued by the Berlin police authorities which prohibits smoking in the streets of the city.

The order was promulgated owing to a serious shortage of tobacco, and it is stated this ruling will soon become general all over Germany.

FOREST FIRES SPREAD

BUTTE, August 22.—Reports from all over the State say forest fires are spreading and the situation is growing serious in some sections.

Hundreds of men are fighting the flames under the direction of forest rangers.

Fewer Eggs are required with ROYAL BAKING POWDER

In many recipes the number of eggs may be reduced and often left out altogether with excellent results by using an additional quantity of Royal Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted. The following recipe is a practical example:

Chocolate Layer Cake

1/2 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
1 cup milk
1/4 cup flour

4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 egg

DIRECTIONS.—Cream shortening; add sugar gradually, beaten egg, one-half the milk and mix well. Add one-half the flour which has been sifted with salt and baking powder, the rest of the milk, then the rest of the flour and add baking. Bake in greased layer cake tins in moderate oven 15 to 20 minutes.

The old method called for 3 eggs

CHOCOLATE FILLING AND ICING

2 cups confectioners' sugar,
boiling water
1 teaspoon vanilla

1/2 ounce chocolate
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup flour

To the sugar add boiling water very slowly to make a smooth paste. Add vanilla, melted chocolate and orange peel. Spread between layers and on top of cake.

New book of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients mailed free. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., 135 William Street, New York, U. S. A.

SPORTS

Cobb Adds
One Point
To Average

Also Leads League In Runs
Scored and Creeps Up On
Top Base Stealers

CHICAGO, August 11.—Tyron Cobb has added another point to his batting average and now is fifteen points from the 400 mark, according to averages published today and which include Wednesday's games. Cobb is hitting .385 for 105 games. He has made 153 hits, including thirty doubles, twenty-one triples and five home runs. This slugging has given him the American League lead in total bases, his total being 342.

The Georgian also is leading the league in runs scored with eighty and is creeping up on Chapman and both of Cleveland for stolen base honors. Cobb has pilfered 32 bases, while the Cleveland pair have stolen 34 and 33, respectively. Chapman, with fifty-five, is far in front of other sacrifice hitters.

Pipp of New York went into a tie with Veach of Detroit for home run honors, each having seven.

Felsch Climbs Rapidly

Happy Felsch made the best show among leading batters. He jumped from 291 last week to 304 and is the only batter on the leading White Sox only 11 hits from 300. Detroit continued to lead in team batting with 259 with the last place Philadelphia's pushing in second place with 253.

Leading batters who have participated in half of their club's games are: Cobb, Detroit, .385; Speaker, Cleveland, .351; Sisler, St. Louis, .342; Veach, Detroit, .311; McInnis, Philadelphia, .306; Felsch, Chicago, .304.

Leading pitchers who have participated in 21 or more games, rated according to earned runs a game:

Player	G	W	L	ER
Cieotte, Chicago	34	18	8	1.40
Faber, Chicago	32	9	9	1.54
Bagby, Cleveland	35	15	10	1.61
Leonard, Boston	25	12	11	1.80
Mays, Boston	22	12	6	1.91
Ruth, Boston	26	17	7	1.92
Schuyler, Cleveland	23	9	3	1.93
Russell, Chicago	27	11	4	2.00
Scott, Chicago	21	6	7	2.03
Coveleskie, Cleveland	31	12	12	2.04

National League

In the National League Roush of Cincinnati is hitting .341 and has pulled away from Hornsby of St. Louis, who was pushing him for the lead last week. Hornsby, batting at a .325 clip, clings to second place, although he dropped three points. The St. Louis shortstop increased his lead in total bases. His 109 hits in 95 games have been stretched into 176 bases because of 19 doubles, 12 triples and eight home runs. The last item earned him a tie with Cravath of Philadelphia for circuit drive honors last week and the number remains unchanged.

Burns of New York increased his lead as a run getter. He has scored 72 times. Carey of Pittsburgh, with a mark of 29, continued to top the base stealers.

Giants Tie the Reds

The triple tie at 21 for sacrifice hit honors, held by the Chicago trio—Doyle, Deal and Williams—remained unbroken.

New York has batted itself into a tie with Cincinnati for team batting, with 264.

Leading batters who have played in half their club's games:

Roush, Cincinnati, .341; Hornsby, St. Louis, .325; Cruise, St. Louis, .318; Knuff, New York, .315; Groh, Cincinnati, .311; Fischer, Pittsburgh, .311; Griffith, Cincinnati, .308; Zimmerman, New York, .304.

Leading pitchers who have participated in 21 or more games, rated according to earned runs a game:

Player	G	W	L	ER
Anderson, New York	21	8	7	1.56
Alexander, Phila.	27	18	9	1.88
Cheney, Brooklyn	24	7	7	2.09
Salle, New York	21	11	4	2.10
Schuyler, New York	23	13	6	2.17
Vaughn, Chicago	23	14	10	2.28
Schneider, Cincinnati	29	14	12	2.52

COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Francisco	29	62	.320
Salt Lake	21	62	.336
Los Angeles	22	78	.514
Bakersfield	68	72	.486
Portland	62	76	.444
Vernon	61	79	.436

Salt Lake and Portland of the Coast League won again yesterday, Salt Lake taking the second straight from Los Angeles, 5 to 2 and Portland again defeating San Francisco, 6 to 2. Salt Lake not only tightened its hold on second place but has gone to within thirty points of the Seals. The difference in games is four and one-half. If Portland could clean up on the Seals as it did a month ago, Salt Lake could get within striking distance of the top, provided it continued to beat Los Angeles.

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MINNESOTA TO PLAY FOOTBALL THIS FALL

MINNEAPOLIS, August 4.—Contrary to expectations, it is likely that the University of Minnesota will resume athletics in time for the football season in the fall. Prof. James Paige, chairman of the university senate committee on intercollegiate athletics, has announced that at a meeting of that committee a resolution was passed to reconsider the senate's action May 17 suspending athletics.

The resolution states that since the position of Minnesota in abolishing intercollegiate athletics has become an isolated one in the Western Conference, the action should be reconsidered and athletics reinstated. The recommendation was made that profits from all games go to the Red Cross.

Preparations will be made for the football season, with the idea in view that the first meeting of the senate in the fall will put Minnesota back in the active class. Most of the Minnesota football men are in either the army or the navy, but a new team will be built up, Coach S. L. Williams having expressed himself as optimistic on his prospects, in spite of the eleven losses.

RED SOX DEFEAT CHICAGO IN LAST; GIANTS TAKE ONE

New York and Philadelphia Na-
tionals Split Series With
Cincinnati and Chicago

The Boston Red Sox won the last game of the series from Chicago yesterday, 5 to 1. Chicago won two of three. The two teams will meet only once more this season, Chicago playing at Boston a month hence.

Detroit won the odd game of the series from New York, 2 to 0, which gave the Tigers two of three. Cleveland won the third straight from the Athletics. Cleveland was the only American League team to make a clean sweep, so that it gained on every other team of the league. It is fifty points behind Boston, which isn't so bad, seeing that Boston is twenty-six behind the White Sox. A little better play earlier in the season might have made the Indians pennant contenders.

Washington and St. Louis split a double-header yesterday. St. Louis did the surprising thing of taking two of three. The Senators had been going well.

The New York Giants won the last game from Cincinnati, 3 to 0. This split the series at one game each. Philadelphia beat Chicago, 5 to 0, dividing at two games each. In games won and lost the Giants and Phillies stood still, but the Giants gained a point or so in percentage. Boston turned on the Cards after losing two straight. Brooklyn beat Pittsburgh. Each team won one game, the other having been a tie.

New Series Today

New series will open in both leagues today. In the American the Red Sox have an opportunity to gain on the White. Washington plays at Chicago and Boston at St. Louis. Both Detroit and Cleveland have an opportunity to gain. Detroit plays Philadelphia and Cleveland New York.

There will be two good series in the National. The Cubs will open at New York today. Cincinnati will open at Philadelphia. The Giants should fatten their lead. No one will be interested in the Pittsburgh-Boston series. St. Louis will open at Brooklyn.

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OLDFIELD SETS RECORDS

ST. LOUIS, August 11.—Barney Oldfield lowered two world's records for a dirt track in automobile races against Ralph de Palma here today. In the 15-mile race Oldfield's time was 12:04. The previous record was 12:23, made by the late Bob Burman in Bakersfield, California, in 1915. Oldfield then broke the 10-mile record, 8:15 4-5, also set by Burman. Oldfield made the distance in 7:58 4-5.

MANY STUDENTS LEAVE FOR SCHOOL

Among those who were on board were Ernest Mott-Smith, who is a graduate of Panahon Academy and who also finished a post graduate course there last June. He was a good football player and track man and won his letter in both of those sports. He is intending to enter Harvard this fall. He intends to go out for the freshman team, and he should make a good showing.

Dickson, Hitchcock and Harvey Hitchcock are on their way to California, where they will continue their studies at Hitchcock Military Academy.

Miss Babbs Foote was also a passenger. She is attending school in the East.

Miss Marjory Guild is on her way back to Miss Thatcher's school in Piedmont, California.